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お父さん登場。半澤そうな人を書くのって大好き。（二次元に限るけど）この辺りから最初に描こうと思っていた！方向性やエピソードが徐々に変わって来ていたり　長書って難しいなぁ～としみじみ…。

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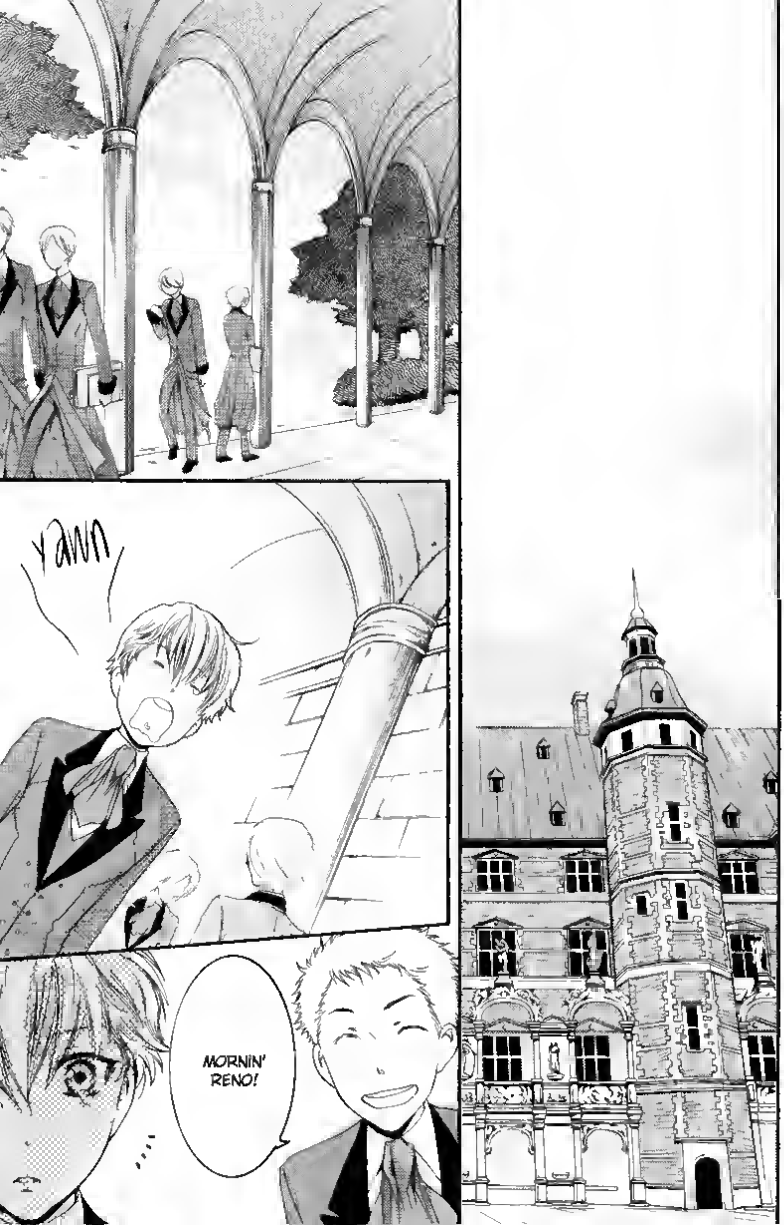

yawn
MORNIN' RENO!

MORNING.
満ちる部屋
When I woke up this morning...Roger was nowhere to be found.
Somethin' happened right? Fess up! I wanna help out!
HEEEY HEY HEY, SO WHAT HAPPENED..??
THERE'S NO WAY I'M TELLING.
YOU SAID YOU WEREN'T GONNA PLAY HIS FRIEND, REMEMBER?

After what happened yesterday...

...I'd really hoped...

...we could leave the room together today and make up.

rufftle

Even if we make up again, it won't change the fact that I hurt Roger.

But still...

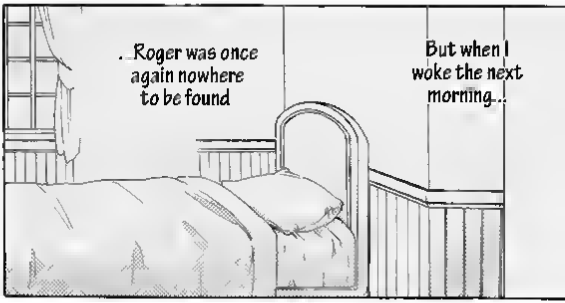
I realize I'm just being selfish.

I held out this faint hope... that maybe we had grown a little closer.

THAT'S NOT WHAT BEING FRIENDS IS A-BOUT, ROGER.
But I've got no right to tell him that.
OPEN
IT'S DARK.
SO HE'S NOT BACK YET...?

step
step
SO YOU WERE HERE?
He's asleep
reach
WAKE

sleepy smile
WELCOME BACK!
BADUMP
...was I trying to do just now?
What...
BADUMP
BADUMP
I'M BACK.
IF YOU'RE GONNA GO TO SLEEP, THEN AT LEAST TAKE OFF YOUR GLASSES.
AH...


. Roger was once again nowhere to be found
But when I woke the next morning...

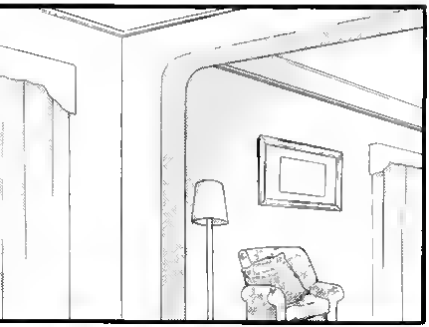
RENO?
DO YOU MIND IF I BORROW THE ROOM FOR A BIT?

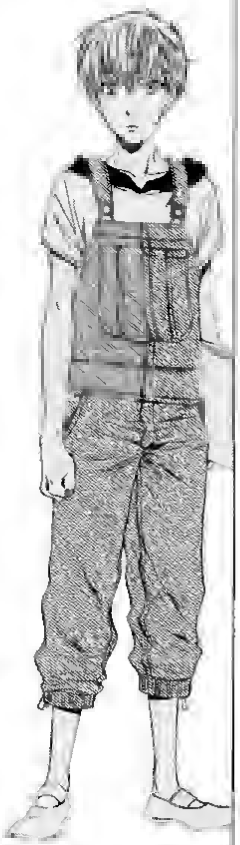
YEAH, SURE.
GIVE ME A MINUTE TO GET MY STUFF?

SHUT
THEN..
I'LL BE BACK..
SORRY
I was thinking just now... that I really didn't want to give up the room.
I USED TO BE FINE WITH THIS
WHAT'S WRONG WITH ME?
APPEAR
plod
plod

'SCUSE ME.
SLAM
OH! I'M SORRY! MY APOLOGIES!
SHOCK
I'M COMING IN
KNOCK KNOCK
step
step
step
That person just now...
...was a client?
PASS
OPEN

SHUT





It's only been 30 minutes...
Have they already...?
Of course they have.
That soft hair...
hustle
I WONDER... IF HE'LL TOUCH HIM WITH THOSE GENTLE HANDS LIKE THAT...
"WAIT...RENO."
brush

That's OUR room, and yet...
No...
NO...
WHAT THE HECK AM I THINKING...
I agreed to his rules when we became roommates...
It's just... there's something that rubs me the wrong way about this!

YOU DIDN'T COME BACK, EVEN AFTER LIGHTS-OUT.
I'M SORRY. I RAN YOU OUT EVEN THOUGH YOU WERE OBVIOUSLY TIRED
Shake
Shake
RENO.
RENO...
Roger...
COME BACK TO THE ROOM AND SLEEP?
tear up
Roger...!

WH--
WHAT'S
WRONG?
RENO?!
JOLT
-HIC-
-HIC-
-HIC-
Y--YOU'D
BETTER
W-WAIT
FOR ME
TO WAKE
UP TOMOR-
ROW!
I--I'VE
BEEN BEAT-
ING MYSELF
UP OVER IT
ALL THIS
TIME!
I WANT
TO MAKE
UP AGAIN,
BUT YOU...
YOU'RE
NEVER
THERE!
Please
don't take
any more
clients...

Don't sleep with other people for money anymore...
I SEE...
SO THIS IS WHY YOU'VE BEEN BEHAVING STRANGELY LATELY...
Soothe
ALL RIGHT, ALL RIGHT.
DON'T CRY.

I'm in love...with Roger.

'KAY...

"YOU'LL SEE THAT SOON ENOUGH..."

"EVEN IF YOU FALL FOR HIM..."

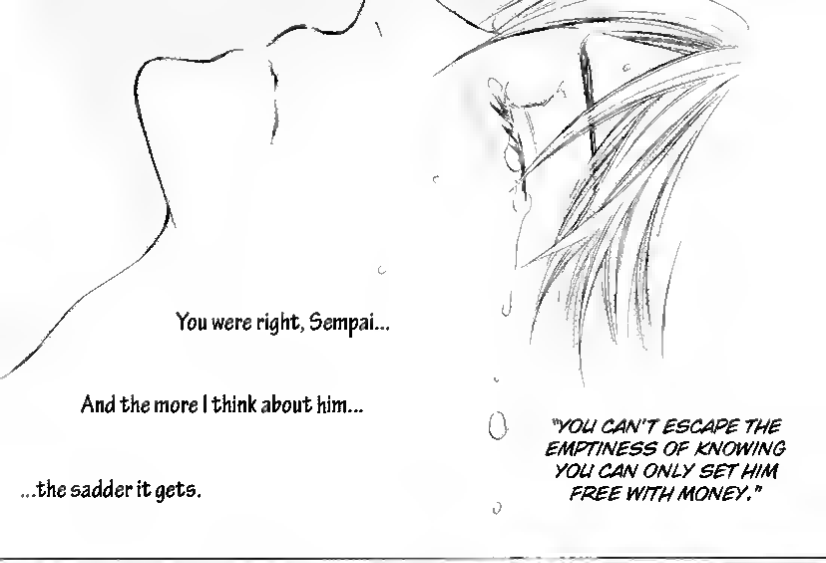
Am I gonna be stuck feeling like this every time he asks for the room now?

I wonder...if I'll be able to give up the room like it's no big deal next time?

OH MAN.

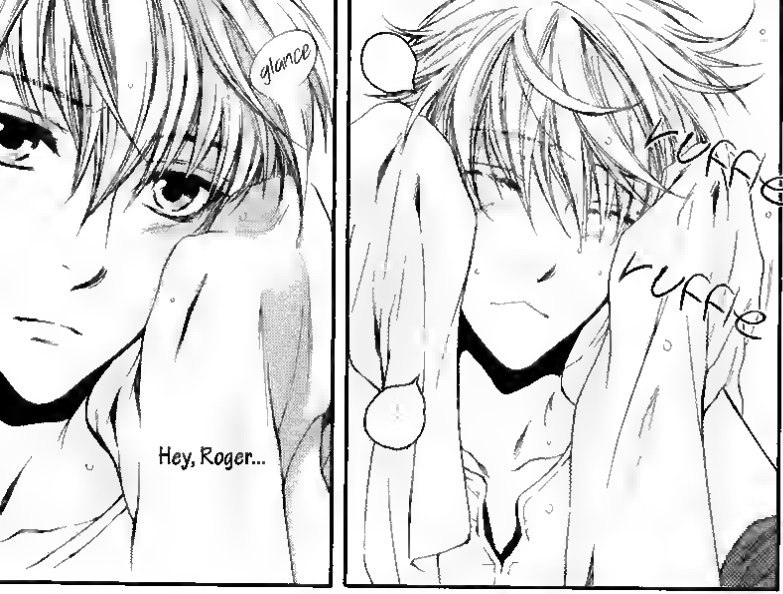
plop

snicker


You were right, Sempai...
And the more I think about him...
...the sadder it gets.
"YOU CAN'T ESCAPE THE EMPTINESS OF KNOWING YOU CAN ONLY SET HIM FREE WITH MONEY."

ruffle
ruffle
YEAH...
WELL? HAVE WE CALMED DOWN NOW?

warm
fluffy
WHEW! I FEEL BETTER AFTER HAVING A NICE CRY!


glance
Hey, Roger...
RUFFLE
RUFFLE

What would you do...
...if I told you I loved you...?
HM?

C'MON, RENO... WAKE UP!
NN...
HEY--DO YOU HAVE A SEWING KIT?
A BUTTON CAME OFF.
NNN... IN MY DESK...
Find it yourself
ALL RIGHT, I'LL LOOK FOR IT...

NGH..
RUMMAGE
RUMMAGE
rub
rub
ARE YOU SURE IT'S IN HERE?
All I see are odds and ends
CLATTER
YIKES, THIS THING IS A WRECK...
RUMMAGE
IT'S A TINY THING, ABOUT THE SIZE OF YOUR PALM.
IT'S NOT THERE?
HMM...

!
YEAH?
DID YOU FIND IT?
SHOCK
!
PAUSE
RENO...
ISN'T THIS... AGAINST THE RULES...?
The letter!
!
rustle

YOUR MOTHER.. SHE WENT TO THE EFFORT OF WRITING TO YOU...!
JOLT
THAT'S NOT...!
IT'S ONLY... I COULDN'T JUST THROW IT AWAY!
TOSSING IT IN THE TRASH WITHOUT READING IT IS JUST TOO..
YOU... DON'T KNOW A DAMN THING ABOUT ME..
...SO WOULD YOU MIND NOT ACTING LIKE YOU UNDERSTAND MY SITUATION?
EVEN IF I *DID* WANT TO KNOW--
freeze
--IT'S NOT AS IF YOU'D EVER TELL ME THOUGH!
...WHAT WOULD BE THE POINT?

WOULD YOU COMFORT ME, OUT OF PITY?
IS THAT HOW...
...YOU'VE ALWAYS THOUGHT OF ME?
I REALLY LOVE YOU, ROGER-- SO I WANT TO KNOW THINGS A-BOUT YOU!
IT'S BECAUSE I'M IN LOVE WITH YOU!

AH...
SO THAT'S WHY YOU WERE SO FLUSTERED BY BEING CALLED A 'FAG'.
SNIFFLE
ALWAYS GOING ON AND ON ABOUT US BEING FRIENDS...
...WHEN THAT WAS WHAT YOU ULTIMATELY WANTED?
hic
blush
BECAUSE THEY WERE RIGHT.

rustle
rustle
RIP
RIP
RIP
clench
SLAM

He won't...comfort me anymore.
I just wanted to be his strength...because I care for him...
So why...?
I just wanted to know more about him...
Why was he so angry?
Why was he so...

What was this secret...that he wanted to keep from me so badly?
"RENOLD...DON'T YOU THINK YOU CAN BE A BIT OF A BUSYBODY?"
"SOME PEOPLE REALLY DON'T LIKE THAT, SO DO TAKE CARE, WON'T YOU?"

She was right...
Mother was always right...
crumple
I should've just thrown this away...
bite

OLD MAN DONA WAS THROWING A FIT, GOING, "WHERE'S RENOLD?!"--IT WAS TERRIBLE!
CLATTER
What the are you still in your pa jamas?!
You're gonna get your ass chewed out if the teachers find out!
HEY! YOU CUT CLASS WITHOUT PERMISSION TODAY, DIDN'T YA?
AH!! THERE HE IS!
munch munch
YEAH..I KNOW.
---BUT YOU SHOULDN'T WORRY ABOUT CASANOVA, 'KAY?
twitch
HEY, RENO.. I DUNNO WHAT HAPPENED BETWEEN YOU---

JUST...WE HEARD A RUMOR...
EEW! Gross, man!
pull back
HUH?! WHAT ABOUT ROGER?!
plop
plop
WE JUST ASSUMED SOMETHING HAD HAPPENED BETWEEN YOU TWO, SO...
Is that not the case?
THAT CASANOVA'S LOOKING FOR A NEW ROOMMATE
You've still got some right here, by the way
tap
tap

"MIND IF I BORROW YOUR DICTIONARY, RENO...?"

I always chalked it up to him being bad with taking care of his own things...

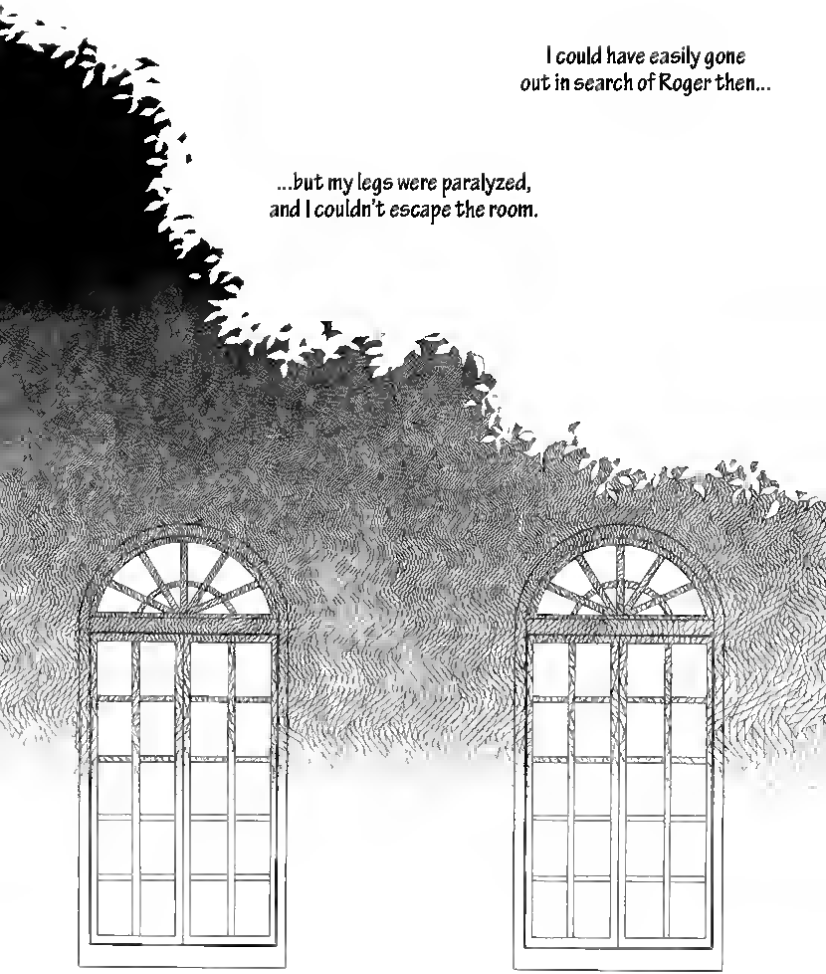
But maybe he'd just traveled lightly...

...so that he could easily leave whenever he needed.

If I just hadn't read that letter...

When I got back to the room...all of his things had been packed up.

When I thought about it...all he'd had when he'd come to this room was a single trunk.



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